

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following: the nominations of Noel P. Fox, to be U.S. district judge for the western district of Michigan; and James P. Alger, of Utah, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Guam; H.R. 9522, authorizing payment for dependents of certain marines who incurred losses pursuant to the cancellation of a permanent change-of-station movement; H.R. 10651, to increase fees which may be collected by U.S. marshals (amended); S. 2978, authorizing investigation of citizens' claims resulting from the artificial raising of the water level of Lake Ontario by

Canada; S. 2256, to provide benefits under the War Claims Act for Guamanians killed or captured by the Japanese at Wake Island; H.R. 10184, to reconstitute the eastern judicial district of Wisconsin to include Menominee County, Wis.; 14 private immigration bills (S. 3198, 3215, 3228, 3295, H.R. 2664, 3000, 3501, 3821, 3822, 4718, 6833, 9186, 11127, and an original concurrent resolution on suspension of deportation cases (S. Con. Res. 86)); and 4 private claims bills (H.R. 2129, 3372, 10525, and S. 1781).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on two private immigration bills (S. 3110 and H.R. 5238); and nine private claims bills (H.R. 1288, 1615, 7617, 8631, 9782, S. 1276, 1783, 2889, and 3197).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 12651-12662; 6 private bills, H.R. 12663-12668; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 829 and 830, H. Con. Res. 505, and H. Res. 735, were introduced.

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Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 12398, to authorize the Administrator of General Services, in connection with the construction and maintenance of a Federal office building, to use the public space under and over 10th Street SW. in the D.C. (H. Rept. 2026).

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Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: The conferees on H.R. 10526, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for fiscal year 1963, were granted permission to file a conference report thereon by midnight Tuesday, July 24.

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Second Supplemental Appropriations: By a voice vote the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 11038, the second supplemental appropriation bill, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Fifteen amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the following actions were taken:

Receded and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 4, 12, 22, 42, and 53.

Receded and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 2, 7, 10, 16, 23, 25, 28, 43, 47, and 48.

Prior to the adoption of the conference report the House agreed to H. Con. Res. 505, authorizing the Clerk of the House to make certain changes in the engrossed bill, H.R. 11038, which reduced certain appropriations authorized therein.

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D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the D.C. was in order and the following bills were acted on:

Tissue banks: S. 2321, to authorize the licensing of tissue banks in the D.C. (passed without amendment and cleared for the President).

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Nonprofit corporations: H.R. 6967, providing for the incorporation of certain nonprofit corporations in the D.C. (cleared for President by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto).

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Hospital center appropriations: H.R. 12547, to amend the act of August 7, 1946, relating to the D.C. Hospital Center to extend the time during which appropriations may be made for the purposes of that act (passed without amendment and sent to the Senate).

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Point Reyes National Seashore: By a voice vote the House passed with amendments S. 476, to establish the Point Reyes National Seashore in the State of California, and returned the bill to the Senate.

Adopted amendments relating to—

Contract authority of the Secretary of the Interior in acquisition of lands;

Definition of "ranching and dairying"; and

Use by former owners of property for noncommercial residential purposes for a term of 50 years.

H. Res. 732, the open rule, under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 13444-13460

Quorum Calls: During the proceedings of the House today two quorum calls developed and they appear on pages 13444 and 13460.

Program for Tuesday: Adjourned at 5:46 p.m. until Tuesday, July 24, at 12 o'clock noon, when the House will act on the conference report on S. 2996, the foreign aid authorization bill, and will consider H.R. 12648, the Department of Agriculture and related agencies appropriation bill for fiscal year 1963.

Committee Meetings

FORESTRY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests held a hearing on H.R. 9219, 9220, 9274, 8535, 9545, and 10835, to encourage and assist a program of cooperative Federal-State forestry research; H.R. 9728 and 9953, relating to Federal participation with the States in the Cooperative Forest Management Act; S. 3064 and H.R. 10853, authorizing an increase in appropriations for the national forests resources survey; H.R. 12434, making several changes in Forest Service regulatory and service statutes; H.R. 7195, 6289, and 6528, to authorize the addition of certain lands to the Wasatch National Forest; H.R. 1111, to authorize the sale of certain lands to the State of Iowa; and S. 3112, to add certain lands to the Pike National Forest in Colorado and the Carson National Forest and the Santa Fe National Forest in New Mexico. Heard testimony from Senator Stennis; Representative McIntire; Department of Agriculture officials; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, July 24.

D.C. COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing on S. 2436, regarding the National Capital Parks system. Heard testimony from Senator Mansfield; Conrad L. Wirth, Director, National Park Service; Brig. Gen. Frederick J. Clarke, D.C. Engineer Commissioner; Mrs. James H. Rowe, Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission; D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

U.N. BONDS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Heard testimony from public witnesses on S. 2768, to promote the foreign policy of the U.S. by authorizing purchase of United Nations bonds and the appropriations of funds therefor. Hearings continue Tuesday, July 24.

SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT—MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations resumed hearings on systems development and management, and heard testimony from Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense. Hearings continue Tuesday, July 24.

GRAIN STORAGE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on grain storage activities in the Department of Agriculture. Testimony was given by Department of Agriculture officials.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks, in executive session, ordered

reported favorably to the full committee S. 2973, to revise the boundaries of the Capulin National Monument New Mexico, and to authorize acquisition of land therein.

Considered H.R. 11165, and similar bills, to promote the coordination and development of effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation, and to provide financial assistance to the States for outdoor recreation planning. Took no final action on the bill.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

ANNOUNCEMENT—U.S. ECONOMY

Committee on Ways and Means: Announced that beginning Thursday, July 26, the committee will receive a cross section of opinions on the status of the economy. These sessions will be executive and information will be received from invited experts from industry, labor, agriculture, research, and educational institutions and governmental spokesmen.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to consider the current status and future U.S. plans on nuclear controls and disarmament, the principal witness being William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JULY 24

(All meetings are open unless otherwise designated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations, subcommittee, on fiscal 1963 appropriations for the Department of Commerce, to hear Secretary Hodges, and others, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., room F-37, Capitol.

Subcommittee, on H.R. 12276, fiscal 1963 appropriations for the D.C., 10 a.m., room F-39, Capitol.

Committee on Armed Services, Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee, executive hearings on strategic weapons and weapon delivery systems, to hear Gen. Bernard A. Schriever, commander, Air Force Systems Command, 10 a.m., 224 Old Senate Office Building.

Committee on Commerce, on S. 3242 and S. 3243, to improve the nation's transportation system, 10 a.m., 5110 New Senate Office Building.

Committee on the District of Columbia, on the nomination of Edgar H. Bernstein, to be a member of the D.C. Public Utilities Commission, 9:45 a.m., to be followed by executive session on committee business, 10 a.m., both in 6226 New Senate Office Building.

Committee on Finance, on H.R. 11970, Trade Expansion Act, 10 a.m., 2221 New Senate Office Building.

Committee on Government Operations, on S. 2771, to establish a Commission on Science and Technology, 10 a.m., 3302 New Senate Office Building.